

Appendix table 2-59.

Discrepancy between Federal R&D support as reported by performers and by federal agencies: 1980–98

(Billions of dollars)

Year	All performers			Industrial performers		
	Performer– reported	Agency– reported	Difference	Performer– reported	Agency– reported	Difference
1980	30.0	29.8	0.2	12.8	13.0	–0.2
1981	33.7	33.1	0.6	15.0	14.9	0.1
1982	37.2	36.4	0.8	17.1	17.2	–0.1
1983	41.6	38.7	2.9	19.1	17.0	2.1
1984	46.6	42.2	4.4	21.7	18.6	3.1
1985	52.7	48.4	4.3	25.3	21.7	3.6
1986	54.7	51.4	3.3	26.0	24.2	1.8
1987	58.5	55.3	3.2	28.8	26.8	2.0
1988	60.2	56.8	3.4	28.2	26.7	1.5
1989	60.5	61.4	–0.9	26.4	28.5	–2.1
1990	61.7	63.6	–1.9	25.8	29.4	–3.6
1991	60.8	61.3	–0.5	24.1	26.4	–2.3
1992	60.9	65.6	–4.7	22.4	29.7	–7.3
1993	60.5	67.3	–6.8	20.8	30.2	–9.4
1994	60.9	67.2	–6.3	20.3	30.5	–10.2
1995	63.2	68.2	–5.0	21.2	30.2	–9.0
1996	63.5	67.7	–4.2	21.4	30.4	–9.0
1997	64.9	69.8	–4.9	21.8	31.4	–9.6
1998 preliminary	66.9	72.1	–5.2	22.2	32.3	–10.1

NOTES: Performer–reported data are expenditures, and agency–reported data are obligations. Data for 1998 are preliminary. The differences in the two series are derived from unrounded data, not shown in the table.

SOURCES: National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Studies (NSF/SRS), *National Patterns of R&D Resources: 1998*, NSF 99–335, by Steven Payson (Arlington, VA: 1999) and NSF/SRS, *Federal Funds for Research and Development: Fiscal Years 1997, 1998, and 1999, Detailed Statistical Tables*, NSF 99–333, Project Officer, Ronald L. Meeks (Arlington, VA: 1999).

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